AN ORDINANCE NO. _____

An Ordinance to amend Section 20-21.1 of the Columbus Code to expand the authorized routes which may be used by Personal Transportation Vehicles (PTV's) which comply with all other conditions of the code section; and for other purposes.

THE COUNCIL OF COLUMBUS, GEORGIA HEARBY ORDAINS:

SECTION 1.

Chapter 20 of the Columbus Code is hereby amended to repeal and replace paragraphs (1) and (2) of section 20-21.1 with new paragraphs (1) and (2) to read as follows::

"Sec. 20-21.1. Personal transportation vehicles.

Based on the Columbus Police Chief and the Columbus Traffic Engineer's determination that certain public street segments in Columbus, Georgia are suitable to safely accommodate both regular vehicular traffic and personal transportation vehicles as defined in O.C.G.A. § 40-1-1(43.1)("PTVs"), the use of PTVs will be permitted on the public street segments identified in paragraph (1) and shown on the map incorporated therein, if the conditions set forth in paragraphs (2) through (10) below are complied with.

- (1) Personal transportation vehicles (PTVs) may be driven only on the following public street segments:
- Bay Avenue between 10th Street and 12th Street.
- Front Avenue between 5th Street and 14th Street.
- Broadway between 4th Street and 14th Street.
- 1st Avenue from 4th Street to 13th Street.
- 2nd Avenue from the north curb of Victory Drive to 9th Street.3rd Avenue from 4th Street to the south curb13th Street.
- 3rd Avenue from 14th Street to the north curb of 13th Street
- 5th Avenue between 13th Street and 15th Street.
- 6th Avenue between 13th Street and 15th Street.
- 5th Street between Front Avenue and the west curb of Veterans Parkway.
- 6th Street between Front Avenue and the west curb of Veterans Parkway.
- 7th Street between Front Avenue and the west curb of Veterans Parkway.
- Chapel Street between 2nd and 3rd Avenue

- 8th Street between Front Avenue and the west curb of Veterans Parkway.
- 9th Street between Front Avenue and the west curb of Veterans Parkway.
- 10th Street between Bay Avenue and the west curb of Veterans Parkway.
- 11th Street between Bay Avenue and the west curb of Veterans Parkway.
- 12th Street between Bay Avenue and the west curb of Veterans Parkway.
- 14th Street between 6tth Avenue and the cul-de-sac at the Frank Martin Pedestrian Bridge.
- 15th Street between 5th Avenue and 6th Avenue.

MAP OF PTV PERMITTED ROUTES



(2) PTVs shall not be driven on 13th Street; however, they may cross 13th Street at its intersection with Broadway in accordance with all traffic regulations. PTVs shall not be driven on Second Avenue except between the north curb of Victory Drive to 9th Street; however, they may cross Second Avenue at its intersection with 5th Street, 6th Street, 7th Street, 8th Street, 9th Street, 10th Street, 11th Street and 12th Street in accordance with all traffic regulations. W11-11 warning signs, as specified in the Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD), shall be installed on 13th Street in both directions and in advance of Broadway to alert drivers of possible PTV crossings.

SECTION 2.

All ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Introduced at a regular meeting of the Council of Columbus, Georgia held on the 13th day of June, 2023, introduced a second time at a regular meeting of said Council held on the _____ day of _____, 2023 and adopted at said meeting by the affirmative vote of ______ members of said Council.

Councilor Allen	voting	
Councilor Barnes	voting	
Councilor Begly	voting	
Councilor Cogle	voting	
Councilor Crabb	voting	
Councilor Davis	voting	
Councilor Garrett	voting	
Councilor Huff	voting	
Councilor Thomas	voting	
Councilor Tucker	voting	

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